Energy Efficiency:

Getting Rich while Getting out of the Greenhouse

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Are Frogs Smarter than Humans?

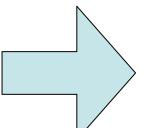




Solutions

Mitigate





Adapt



Suffer

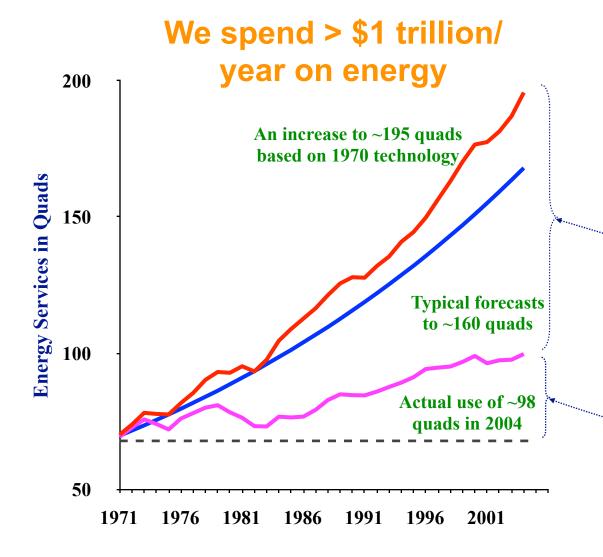


- Hack the Earth
- Carbon trading
- Carbon sequestration
- Nuclear power
- Fuel-switching
- Conservation
- Efficiency
 - largest potential
 - cheapest
 - safest
 - domestic resource
 - fastest to deploy

Everything can always be done better than it is.

- Henry Ford

Without New Efficiency Technology,** U.S. Energy Use Would Be 3-times 1970 Levels



Contrast 3 Energy Patterns

- ✓ Using 1970 Technology
- ✓ Standard 1970s Forecast
- ✓ Actual energy use since 1970

Since 1970, energy efficiency has met 75% of new energy service demands in the U.S., ...

- 8.9 times total domestic oil production
- 3.7 times total oil imports

...while new energy supplies have perhaps contributed only 25% of new energy service demands.

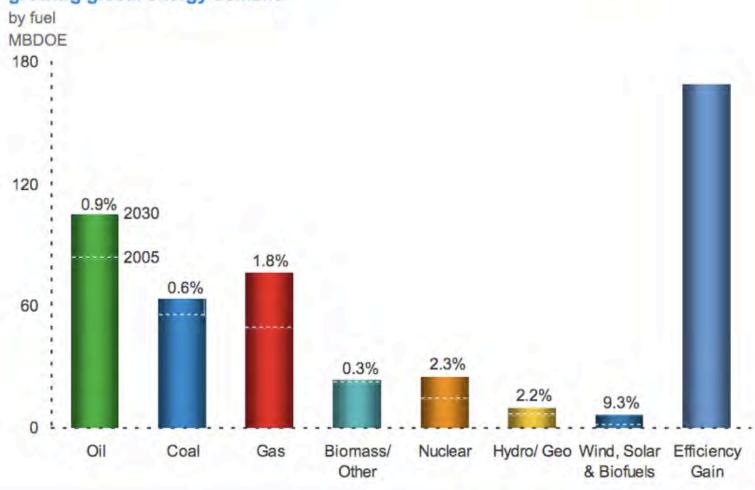
** Where "energy efficiency" is broadly defined as the difference between the 1970 and 2004 energy intensities.

Source: Skip Laitner, ACEEE



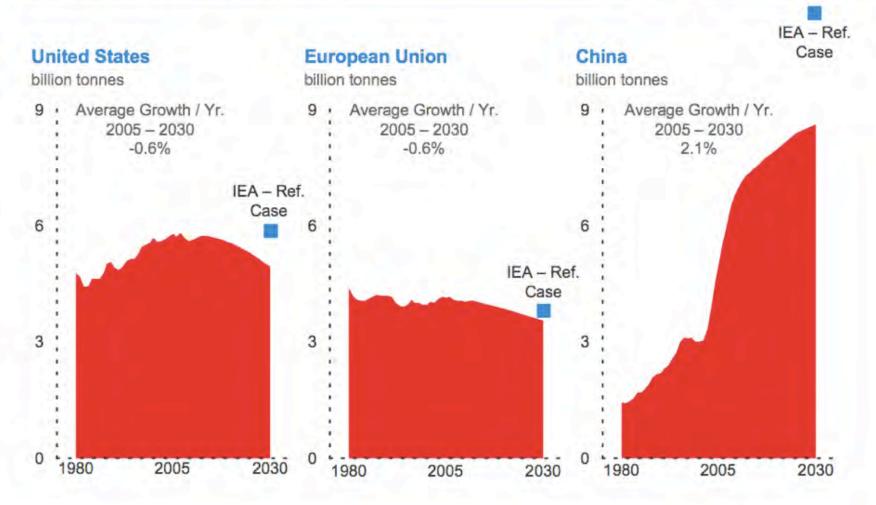


growing global energy demand



CO₂ outlook by region



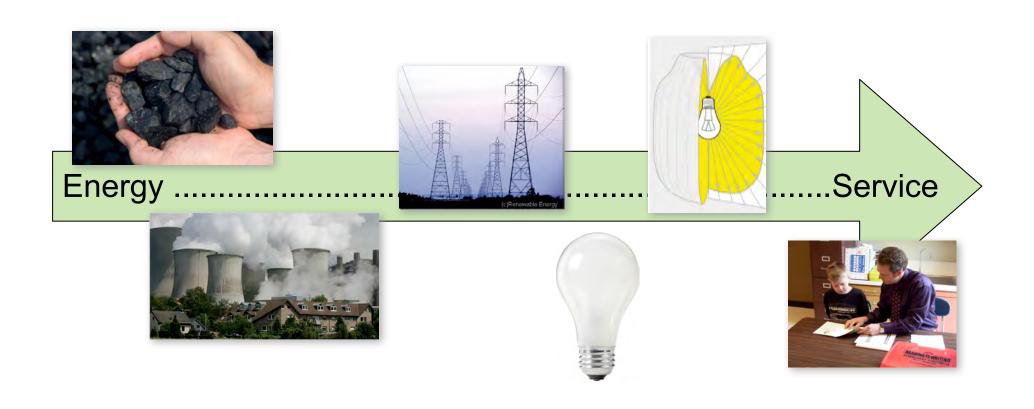


Clean Tech: Our "Sputnik Moment"

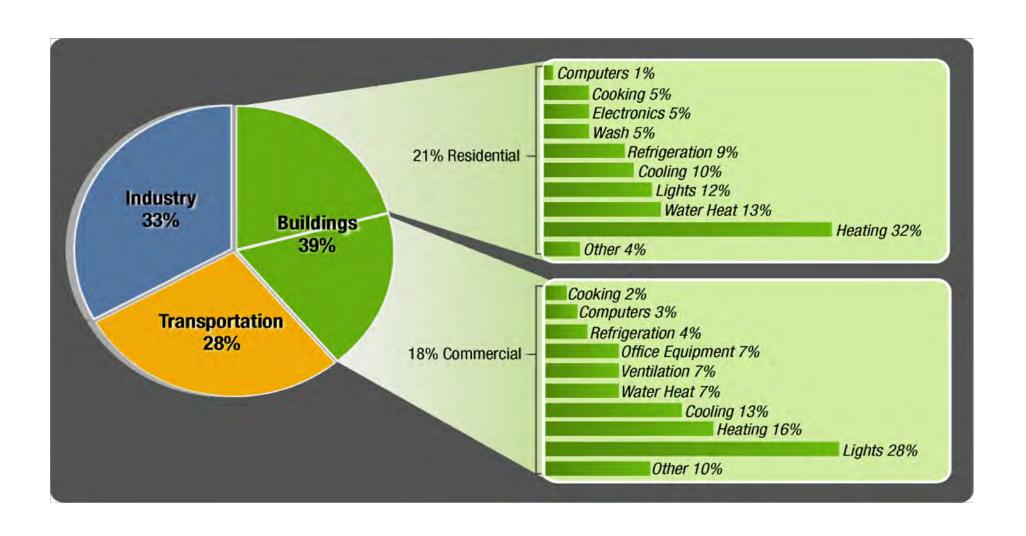


U.S. Secretary of Energy November 29, 2010 National Press Club

Energy Services



An "End-Use" Perspective



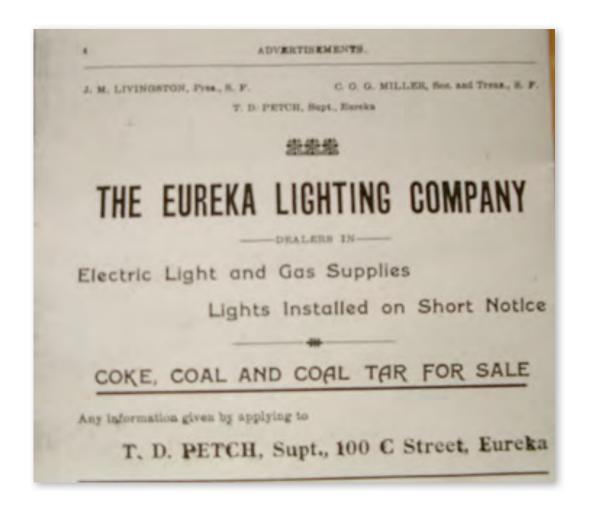
Today's washer-dryers 100x more efficient than coal-fired laundries



Efficiency is Competitive



Energy Services

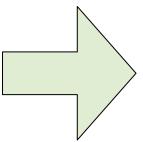




President Carter's (in)famous "Fireside Chat" on Energy - February 2,1977

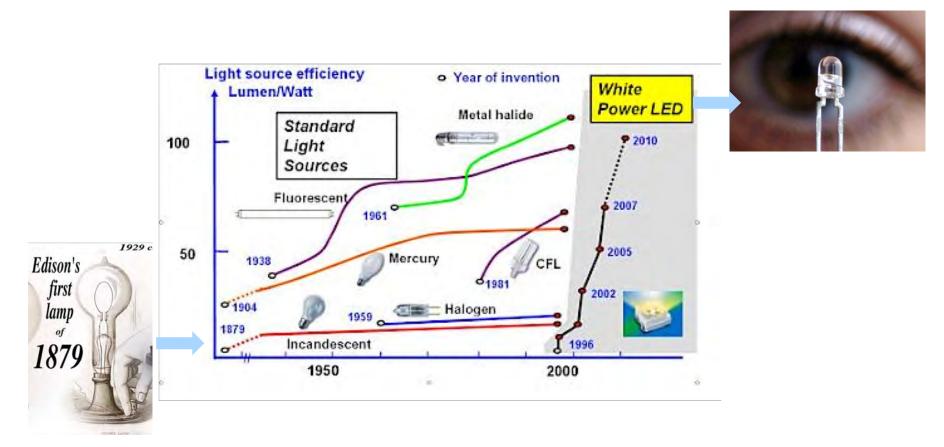
The Kakelung: Product of an Early Energy Crisis in Sweden







White Light-emitting Diodes ("LEDs")



A century of electric lighting technology, with the "disruptive" entry of solid-state white lighting ("LED) in the past decade.

Autonomous Energy Efficiency







Low-Hanging Fruit



Outdoor lights on during day at school in Mexico....

Low-Hanging Fruit

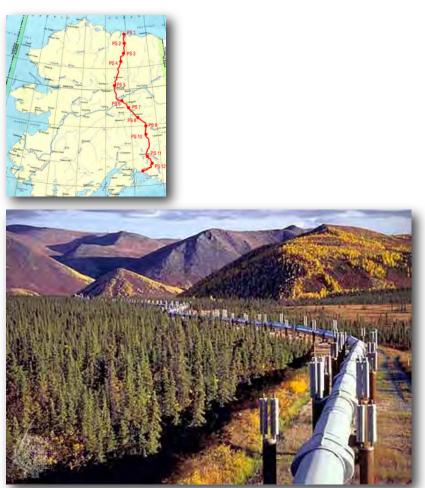




Outdoor lights on during day at an undisclosed location in Fort Bragg

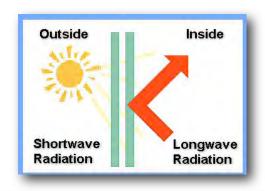
Potent Analogies





Rate of heat loss from US windows = rate of energy flowing through Alaska Pipeline

Potent Analogies





Offshore Oil Rig: \$300 million



Low-E Window Coating Plant: \$6 million

The Molecular Foundry - High-tech can be green



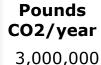


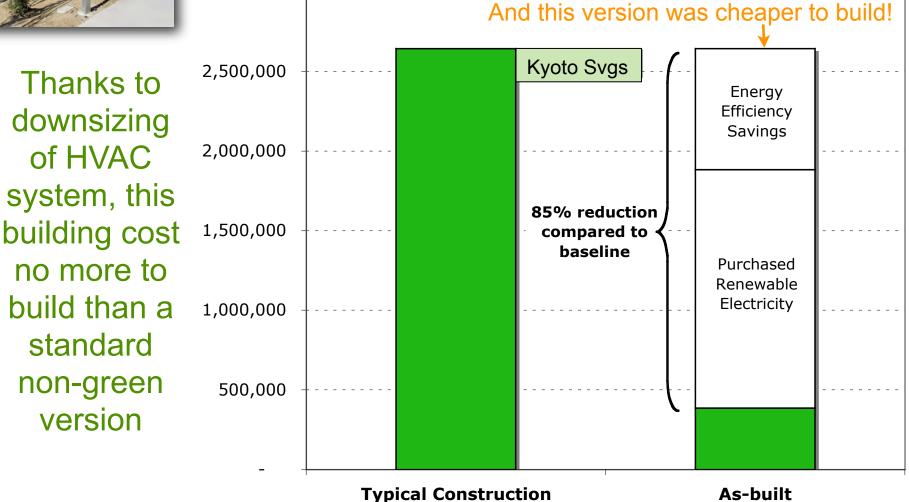






LBNL's Molecular Foundry [Greenhouse Gas Emissions]





The Specter of Fuel-Based Lighting



THE LUMINA PROJECT



India: street vendor (Varanassi)



"We will make electricity so cheap that only the rich will burn candles"

- Thomas Edison



In the developing world, 14% of urban households and 49% of rural households have no electricity ... (2000 data)

THE LUMINA PROJECT

Baseline technology & economics





Tin lantern

- \$0.20 to buy ...
- \$30/year to use





Studying by streetlight



Guinea



LEDs

- Efficient
- Long life
- Low voltage
- Directional
- Portable
- Rugged
- No mercury
- Common batteries
- 10-100x the service level of flame light





Demonstrating the technology to users

Flame: 0.1 lumens/watt • 1-10 lux



LED: 50 lumens/watt • 100-500 lux



Tanzania



Focus Groups



Kenya (Kisumu)



Teachers



Kenya (Sauri)



Night markets



Kenya (Kisumu)



Night markets



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Chicken production



This farmer produces 9000 birds in 3 houses every 5 weeks -- Rift Valley (Kenya)



Lighting Africa Business Conference (2010)

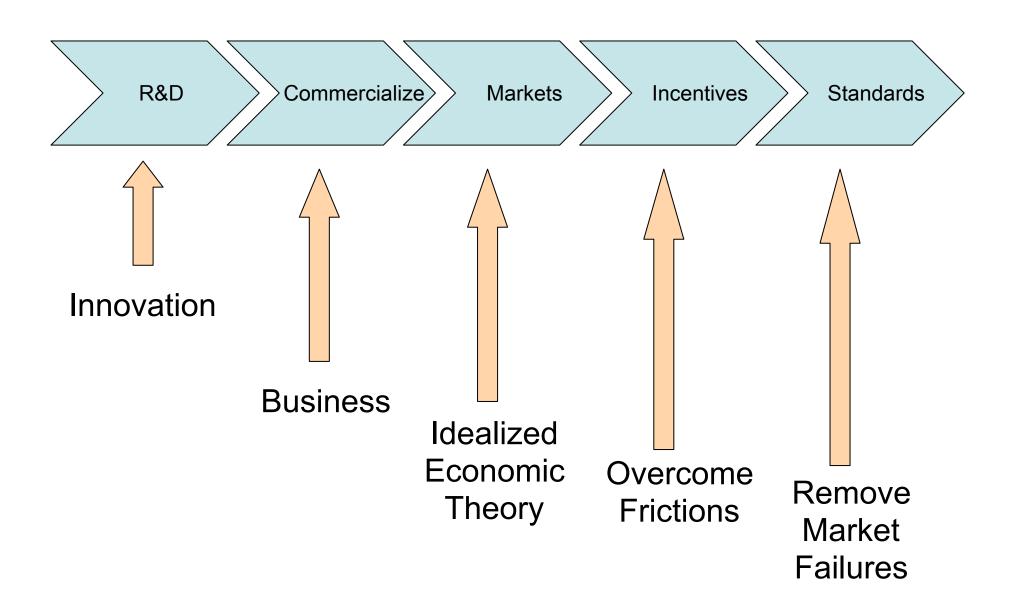






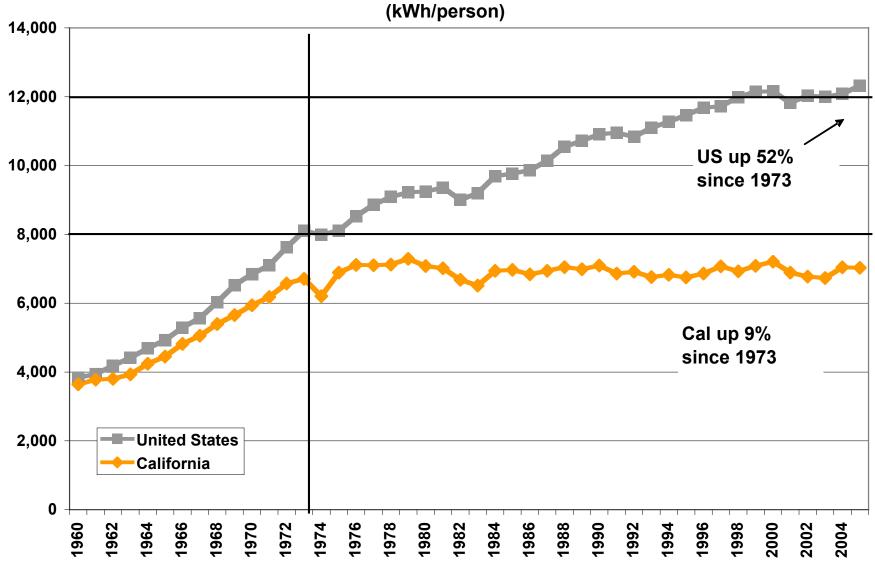


Making it Happen

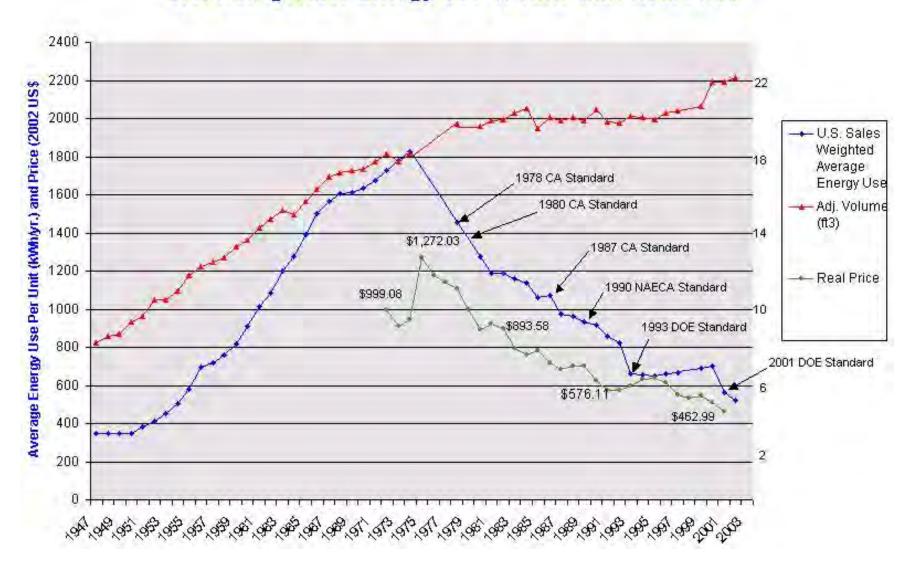


The California Story

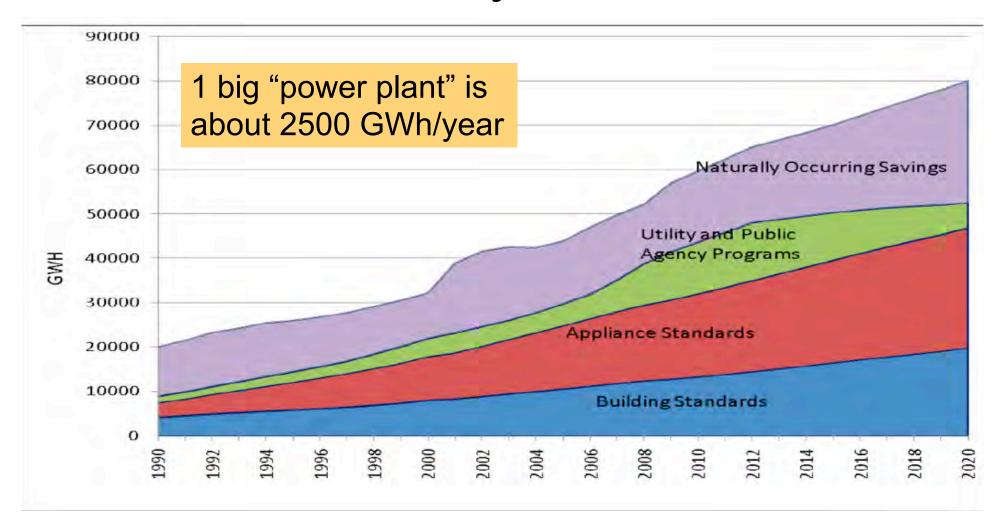
Per Capita Electricity Sales (not including self-generation)
(kWh/person)



U.S. Refrigerator Energy Use v. Time with Real Price



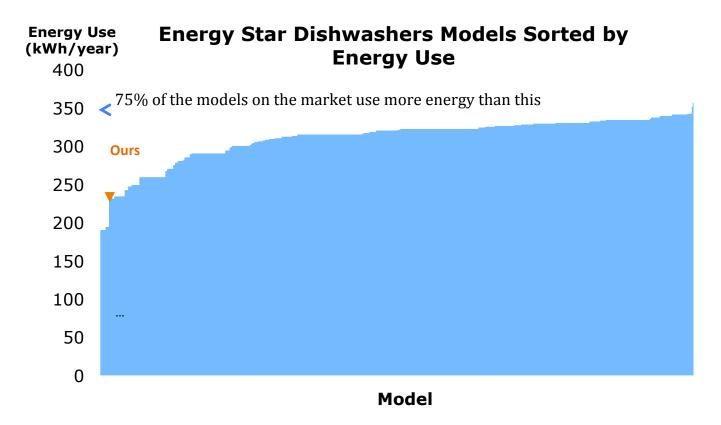
Savings from California Energy Efficiency Policies



Source: California Energy Commission (2009)



Kermit was Right



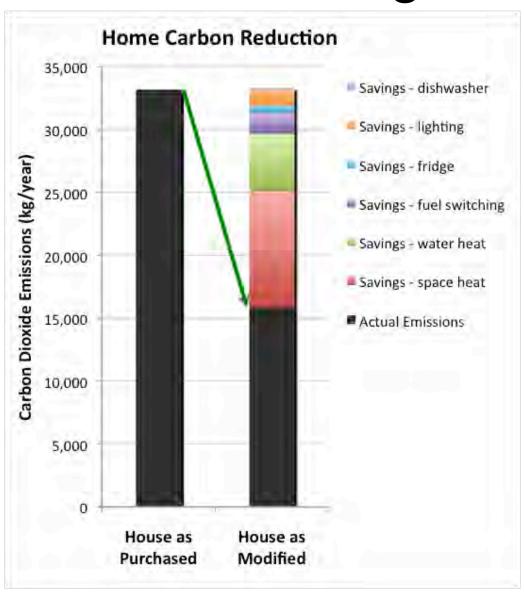


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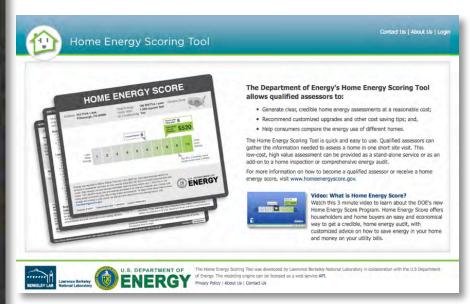




NEW: Home Energy Score



Vice President Joe Biden discusses a new federal program to make it easier for Americans to make their homes more energy efficient, Tuesday, Nov. 9, 2010, in the Eisenhower Executive Office Building on the White House complex. (AP Photo/J. Scott Applewhite) (J. Scott Applewhite - AP)



Acting Locally









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